

1    **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

2           A locking device has an enclosure partially securely mounted on a peripheral  
3   edge of the outer tube and having a lever pivotally connected to the enclosure; and a  
4   positioning rod securely connected to a side of the lever to be driven by the lever and  
5   having a head formed on a free end of the positioning rod to correspond to one of the  
6   adjusting recesses of the inner tube such that pivotal movement of the lever is able to  
7   drive the head of the positioning rod to selectively move away from the corresponding  
8   adjusting recess to allow the inner tube to move relative to the outer tube.